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Junior Miss Contestants



JUNIOR MISS CONTESTANTS, PICTURED ABOVE, ARE from Left, top row: Darcel Russell, Linda Dunnam, Nan Nelson, Karen Crawford; bottom row: Ann Gottschalk, Sandra Fillingame, Melva Luke and Marilyn Piazza. (Fayard photo)

girls from Bay High and from St. Joseph's Academy entered the first Bay St. Louis Junior Miss Pageant. Those from Bay High are Clark, Karen Crawford, Linda Dunnam, Sandra Dunnam, Melva Luke, and Nan Nelson. Those from St. Joseph's are Ann Gottschalk, Sandra Fillingame, and Darcel Russell. The pageant sponsored by the Bay St. Louis Junior Miss Club is an official preliminary to the American Junior Miss Pageant which is held in Mobile, Ala. The contest seeks to find and reward the ideal high school senior girl. Contestants are judged in five categories, each with a different weight. The personal interview is for 35 percent of the total score. These are scored by the judges. In the pageant, contestants appear in evening gowns for the poise and appearance category of 15 percent, the physical fitness 15 percent. Bay Miss is a very high quality event and swim suits are not worn in place of this, girls will wear a swimsuit to music, for the swimwear category. The Bay St. Louis Junior Miss will receive a \$200.00 scholarship, trophy, crown and sash. The first and second place winners will receive trophies and sashes. The contestants will receive a wide variety of talents to make the event entertaining as well as educational.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING CONTEST

Participants: Those wanting to enter the Christmas decorating contest should call Mrs. Ben Hill Jr. before 6 p. m. December 10. Judging will be Christmas Eve.

Prizes will be awarded winners in categories, best overall, best porch, yard and community.

Local Almanac

High 2:21 AM Low 3:30 PM

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Worker Hurt In Tire Accident

Larry Ladner was injured Wednesday when an automobile tire was inflating blew off the rim striking him in the head. The accident occurred about 3 p. m. at Don's Service Station on Main Ave. He was brought by ambulance to Hancock General Hospital with head injuries, laceration over the left eye and injury of the left arm. His condition was listed as poor today.

MAROCHINO NAMES COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN AT SPECIAL MEETING

Joe Marochino, Chamber of Commerce president, named chairmen for the Civic Organization's Committees at a special meeting of the Board of Directors Monday night.

Committee members will be named at a later date. Committees and directors named were Area Promotion, Lee Hayden; Area Development, James DeBlanc; Ways and Means, Russell Chapman; Social Activities, Charles Thomas and Community, John Longo.

The Board also voted to send a letter to Col. R. C. Marshall, District Engineer with the U. S. Corps of Engineers, relative to the Chamber's objections to the proposed clearances for Interstate bridges over Jordan River.

Copies were sent to Senators John Stennis and James Eastland and Congressman William M. Colm.

The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Monday, December 21.

FORMER PASTOR SPEAKER HERE MONDAY NIGHT

The Rev. Schuyler M. Batson, pastor of the Biloxi First Baptist Church and a former pastor of the Bay St. Louis church, brought the main message at a meeting in the local church Monday night.

Baptist Associations in the Southern Baptist Convention Monday night held simultaneous meetings at 7:30 in several locations with messages to emphasize the convention's 1965 program, "mobilization."

The Rev. Emory Green, pastor of the Bay St. Louis Church, gave the message at the Biloxi Church and Dr. William G. Tanner, pastor, presided at the Gulfport Church.

The Rev. Billy Harrison, pastor, Shiloh Baptist Church, Kila, presided over the Bay St. Louis meeting.

The First Southern Baptist Church of Pearlington received the attendance award.

Churches participating at the meeting were Bay St. Louis; Waveland Baptist; Lakeshore, Shiloh Memorial, Kila, First Southern Baptist, Pearlington; First Baptist, Pass Christian; Beach Blvd. Baptist, Henderson Point; Delisle, Liana; Riverside and the new Shoreline Park Baptist Church.

HOME AND COUNTY AGENTS OFFICES CLOSE ON SATURDAY

Beginning Saturday, December 12, the County and Home Agent's offices will be closed all day Saturday until further notice.

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETING DEC. 14

American Legion Auxiliary will hold its meeting and Christmas party at 8 p. m. Monday, December 14, at the Legion Home.

LOCAL ATTORNEY ON USM FOUNDATION BOARD DIRECTORS

Four coast men are now serving as members of the Board of Directors of the University of Southern Mississippi Foundation.

C. J. Darby, Gulfport, and Mike Haas, Bay St. Louis, are continuing their service on the board. Mr. Darby, Chancery Clerk of Harrison County, is serving as vice president of the Foundation. Mr. Haas, an attorney, is the new vice president of the Alumni Association.

Francis J. Lundy, Gulfport, and Emmett V. Thomas, Biloxi, were elected to the board of directors at the recent annual meeting of the organization. Mr. Lundy, district manager of Southern Bell Telephone Company, is the new president of the USM Alumni Association. Mr. Thomas, owner of the Beasley-Thomas Company, realty and insurance, of Biloxi, is vice president of the Harrison County Alumni Chapter.

The University of Southern Mississippi Foundation is the receptacle for all gifts to the University. It is a Mississippi corporation and is managed by a board of directors composed of 38 men and women. Organized in late 1959, the Foundation received tax exempt status on January 10, 1961. One of the main objectives of the Foundation has been to secure funds for scholarships. Eighty-two students are currently receiving financial assistance according to Powell G. Ogletree, Secretary-Treasurer of the Foundation.

Contributions during the 1964 calendar year have reached \$76,230.66. This compares to the previous high attained last year of \$44,040.62 for the entire year. The annual report of the organization will be prepared as of December 31 and mailed to all donors during the year.

Interested persons may receive further information by contacting one of the coast directors or by writing directly to the University of Southern Mississippi Foundation, Box 13, Southern Station, Hattiesburg.

FOUND NOT GUILTY OF CHARGE OF SHOOTING

Sheriff Sylvan Ladner said Lamar Lee, 60, charged with assault and battery with intent in connection with the shooting of two Picayune youths, identified as Arthur Drennan, 12, and Johnnie Drennan, 14, was found not guilty at a preliminary hearing at 10 a. m. December 5, before Beat 2 Justice of the Peace W. E. Mitchell.

Lee reportedly shot at the boys on his property near Mill Creek while they were allegedly disturbing some chickens he kept on his property.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Bay High School chorus under the direction of Mrs. Toy Tedford and the school band directed by Owen Williams presented their annual Christmas program at Bay High Parent Teachers meeting Tuesday night.

SELECTIVE SERVICE OFFICIAL VISITS

Lt. Col. George H. Davis, Jackson, Selective Service State Headquarters, visited the local board last week.

Meeting Tuesday with Mrs. Agnes Zehring, clerk Local Board 24, was Miss Cleo Cochran, Jackson, auditor Selective Service System.

CHRISTMAS CANTATA

The First Baptist Church choir will present a Christmas cantata at the 11 o'clock worship service Sunday morning under the direction of Dewey Lane.

At the 7 p. m. service, the Rev. Emory Green, pastor, will present a monologue "No Room in the Inn."

The annual Christmas message will be delivered by the Rev. Green at the 11 a. m. service December 20 and the youth of the church will present a Christmas play at the 7 p. m. service.

Adults and youths of the church will sing Christmas carols December 22 at the homes for shut-ins.

HOLIDAYS

The Court House will be open all day Wednesday, December 23, and will be closed from then until Monday, December 27, for the Christmas holidays and will close Friday and Saturday in observance of the New Year holidays.

TO HAVE SHOW

Bay High School's Junior Garden Club will have its annual Christmas arrangement show Wednesday, December 16, in the school homecoming department. It will be open to the public from 11:30 a. m. to 3 p. m. Coffee will be served.

Board In Session; Discuss Routine Items

MRS. A. M. ORTTE NEW HEAD OF HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

Mrs. A. M. Ortte was elected president of Hancock General Hospital Auxiliary at last Thursday's meeting.

Others named to office were, Mrs. Leo Seal, first vice president; Mrs. Marion Oiestad, second vice president; Mrs. Wallace Chevis, recording secretary; Mrs. Winfield Partridge, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Joseph Vineric, treasurer; Mesdames Dibrille Jones, W. R. Sattler and George Kooms, board members. They will be installed at the January meeting.

Louise Saucier, Candy Stripper, gave a resume of the recent state meeting in Jackson.

Mrs. C. C. McDonald Sr., read the rules and by-laws of the Mississippi Hospital Auxiliary Association.

The Auxiliary's cheer cart, which handles gifts, toys and toiletries was discussed. Proceeds from the sale are put in a fund for a chapel in the new addition to the hospital.

It was announced Mrs. Luther P. Crull, Winona, Miss., chairman of the Mississippi Hospital Association Council on Auxiliaries will be guest speaker at the meeting January 7 at the home of Mrs. Leo Seal.

MSGR. HANNON DEMONSTRATES NEW MASS AT MEETING

The Altar Blessed Sacrament Society met last Thursday with the Rt. Rev. Msgr. James Hannon offering the opening and closing prayers.

A demonstration of the new form of Mass was presented by Msgr. Hannon with Mrs. M. J. Phillips, Jr., serving as narrator and Miss Kathleen Renshaw as announcer.

A nominating committee with Mrs. P. J. Treutel as chairman was appointed to submit at the January meeting a new slate of officers for the coming year.

Reports were given by chairmen of the various committees and Mrs. Stella Gex, chairman of the recent turkey dinner, reported the affair a success.

Mrs. Phillips and her guild members for December served coffee after the business meeting.

COMMUNITY FARM COMMITTEES NAMED AT MEETING

Community committees for the farm program administration in Hancock County were named Monday.

Elected for Bay St. Louis, Ansley, Kila, Flat Top, Lakeshore and Rocky Hill area were: Sidney Gariga, chairman; Fritz Haas, vice chairman and Cornelius Favre, member.

Dedeaux, Sellers, Standard Communities, Paul Harrel, chairman; A. E. Smith, vice chairman and Hayward Ladner, member.

Election of county committeemen will take place next Monday.

SCOUTS TO SELL GIFTS

Senior Girl Scouts will sell cakes and handmade Christmas gifts all day Saturday at Jitney Jungle and Winn-Dixie Stores.

Proceeds will be used toward their trip to Mexico City next December.

SHOOTING MATCH RE-SCHEDULED

The Sideline Club shooting match, scheduled for Nov. 22, has been re-scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 13.

All tickets purchased for the former time are still good and a large gathering is expected.

Bar-B-Que chicken and ribs will be served. Come One, Come All.

HEARING SCHEDULED FOR BILOXI DECEMBER 15

A public hearing to discuss tollway connections to offshore islands in the Mississippi Sound, John D. Smith, highway commissioner for the Southern District reported today.

The hearing is scheduled in Biloxi City Hall Tuesday night, December 15 at 7 o'clock. It was called by the State Highway Department as part of a feasibility study being conducted under provisions of a law passed by the 1964 Legislature.

A Miami engineering firm with wide experience in this type work, Rader and Associates, is doing the study for the Highway Department.

Mr. Smith said that S. Charles Adams, project manager for Rader will present a status report and be available to answer questions from the audience.

The offshore islands containing thousands of acres of land, have been eyed for many years as possible tourist attractions.

Other uses have been foreseen. They are now uninhabited, for the most part, with comparatively little use being made of them.

REPORT AUTO TAG SALES IN OCTOBER

Sheriff Sylvan Ladner reported this week a total of 141 1964 vehicle tags, amounting to \$810.26 and 3,009 1965 tags amounting to \$140,042.45 were sold in October.

A breakdown showed 97 A tags sold; 619 B; 1850 C; 278 D; 209 P 5; 20 P 6; 34 P 8; 573 F 5; 10 F 6; 19 F 8; 6 C 6; 3 C 8; 38 school bus tags; 3 ambulance and hearse; 75 private trailer; 10 house trailer; 13 motorcycle and 12 National Guard passenger tags.

TURKEY SHOOT SUNDAY

Veterans of Foreign Wars will sponsor a turkey shoot at 2 p. m. Sunday at Chink and Ruth's place, Lakeshore, for the benefit of the VFW sick fund.

MEETING DECEMBER 15

The December meeting of the P. T. A. of the Bay St. Louis Elementary Schools will be held Tuesday, the 15th, at 7:30 p. m., at the North Bay Elementary School.

REQUEST MADE TO CLOSE OFFICE ON SATURDAYS

A request by the county farm agent to close his courthouse office on Saturdays was approved Monday by the Hancock County board of supervisors.

The board noted only a few persons are visiting the Bay St. Louis office on Saturdays and extension service offices are authorized to close with board approval.

Supervisors also invited Bay St. Louis city officials to meet with them Monday, Dec. 14, at 10 a. m., to discuss the costs of feeding prisoners incarcerated in county jail by city police.

Beat two Supervisor Dolph Kellar, vice president, presided in the absence of president R. G. Hubbard Jr., who has been ill the past few weeks. Hubbard is currently undergoing treatment at Touro Infirmary in New Orleans.

In other business, the board approved advertising for bids in January on annual supplies.

Made final acceptance of real and personal tax rolls for 1964.

Approved partial payment of \$12,479.80 to Necaise & Penton, Gulfport contractors, for work performed on the Dummy Line road, a state aid project.

Approved payments of \$28,517 to Carter & Mullins, architects; \$5,035 to Mississippi Mechanical Contractors, Inc., and \$10,489.85 to McCaa Electric for work on an addition to Hancock County General Hospital.

Accepted from J. J. McDonald, the filing of a plat for Lakeside Subdivision, No. 2 but, delayed final approval.

BWYC ANNUAL MEETING SCHEDULED DECEMBER 12

The annual meeting of the Bay-Waveland Yacht Club will be held at 6 p. m. Saturday, December 12, at the club followed by a dinner.

All members are urged to attend as important matters will be discussed.

Announcement of new board members will also be made.

A "Do It Yourself Band" will furnish entertainment for the evening and any member interested in participating can bring his own instrument.

Hosts for Ball the Edge from 4 to 6 p. m., will be Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gordon and Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Scola.

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(Fayard photo)

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(Fayard photo)

WAVELAND NEWS

MRS. BEVERLY ZIMMERMAN PHONE HO-3438
WAVELAND, MISS.

PARTY

The Christmas party for members of the Blessed Virgin Society will be held on Wednesday, December 16th, in the Parish Hall.

BIRTHDAY

Happy returns of the day to Louise Lynch who celebrated on December 6th.

Louise was surprised when all the family gathered at her home for the party.

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

Jane and Brewster Mollere have their Jewelry Store decorated with Christmas chandeliers. In their window is the Nativity Scene with Mary and Joseph waiting for the Infant Jesus.

The Waveland Drug Store has very beautiful decorations, mostly in gold, which really catches the eye.

Herlihy's Mercantile also has the Christmas spirit with a Christmas tree in each window.

The business people are to be thanked for making the holidays bright and cheerful with such pretty decorations.

VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Officers were elected at a regu-

The meeting of the Fire Department Thursday night, R. D. Russell was elected Fire Chief, with Joe Burges as assistant Fire Chief. C. O. Dufour was re-elected president, Artie Russell, vice president, Gladys Noonan, secretary and Bob Lucas, instructor.

FO AND FRO

Mrs. Anthony Russo and Mrs. Alvin D'Aguiar and son were guests of Mrs. Roland Rossignol and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rahm Dardene were over for the weekend at their home on Water St.

Dr. and Mrs. Philip LaNasa and daughters were over for the weekend at their home on Beach Blvd.

Lynn Cook and Genie Davis of Mississippi Southern University were guests of Mary Lou Herlihy over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraering spent the weekend at their Beach Blvd. home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carriere and sons were over for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Langenstein and Mrs. Anna Langenstein were at their home on Oak St.

for a few days during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Burgeson Jr. and Freddie III, went to Jackson for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kupp spent the weekend at their home off Waveland Ave.

SICK

Edna Jensen is at home with a severe cold.

Mrs. Dutha has been ill in Hancock General Hospital.

Little Ernie Zimmerman has been ill with ulcers and Mary Alice Zimmerman broke her arm Saturday.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Cricket Bradford celebrated his 19th birthday with a surprise party Sunday at the home of his parents, Capt. and Mrs. Ivan Bradford.

The Christmas theme was carried out. There were 25 guests present.

Classified Ads

DEER HUNTERS

\$50 REWARD

For information for the return of a rifle taken from shed behind resident, 126 deMontluzin, about 14 months ago. A Remington 270 Bolt Action Model, telescopic sight.

All replies strictly confidential. Please contact George di Benedetto, di Benedetto T. V. and Appliances, phone 467-5711. 12/10/2chg.

FOR RENT

Furnished two bed room apartment, living, dining room combined, 304 S. 2nd Street. 12/10/dh.

For tickets and reservations for your holiday traveling, call Hancock Bank Travel Department, 467-6519. 12/10/4chg.

FOR RENT

Partially furnished cottage, 4 rooms and bath, water furnished. 1113 36th Ave., 3 blocks from Beach, West Gulfport, \$30. Phone UN-3-6659. 12/10/1tpd.

FOR RENT

Unfurnished home, \$80 per month. (New) (River Lot) Call 7-5428 between 6 and 7 p. m. 12/3/tfchg.

FOR SALE

Cut Flowers, Iris Bulbs and shrub. Seeger's Nursery, Old Kiln Road. 11/12/tfchg.

FOR SALE

One 1962 Tempest Sports Coupe. Price - \$1275.00. Call 467-4084. Financing can be arranged. 10/22/tfchg.

FOR SALE

On Beach, Lakeshore, Miss., modern home, concrete block. Furnished. Lot 100x75. 100 foot pier. WH-7-7464. 9/24/2mo.chg.

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS, for all makes machines, or we will get them. Adding Machine Paper, regular size. Typing paper, Onion Skin Second sheets. At the Hancock County Eagle, 467-4644.

VOLUNTEER HELP WANTED Ladies to help at Retarded Children's School. For more information, call: HO-7-7057 or HO-7-7407.

Bayou Shell Company. Clam shells and fill, mouth of Bayou Caddo. Phone 467-7644. 8/27/tfchg.

Moving and Hauling. Phone HO-7-4552. 2/13/3mos.chg.

USM TO PRESENT UNIVERSITY CHORAL UNION DEC. 12

HATTIESBURG, MISS. - The University of Southern Mississippi School of Fine Arts will present the University Choral Union and the USM Symphony Orchestra in a performance of Schubert's "Mass" at 8 p. m. Saturday, Dec. 12, in the University Auditorium.

Antonio Perez, instructor and director of opera at the University of Southwestern Louisiana in Lafayette, will be the only professional soloist, singing the bass parts. All other soloists have been selected through auditions from the USM student body.

Mr. Perez was winner of the 1961 Metropolitan Opera auditions, and has sung leading roles with the Dallas Civic Opera, Shreveport Symphony, New Orleans Symphony, Crescent City Summer Pops, San Antonio Symphony and the Houston Grand Opera Co. He received both B. M. and M. M. degrees from North Texas State University, with additional study at the University of Indiana and with Paul Krueger of Juilliard. Student soloists include Memmie Johnson, Hattiesburg senior, and Dianne Roshto, Greenwood senior.

Conductor, Mrs. E. W. Early, School of Music at Delta State, is making a new record in choral work at USM, and Patricia Johnson, Hattiesburg senior, both singing and Doreen Kelly, Tupelo sophomore, leader.

Dr. David Feltz, Chairman of the Department of Music, will conduct the singers. Dr. William T. Gower, chairman of the Department of Music Education, is conductor of the USM Symphony.

HAS BIRTHDAY

Jimmy Layne celebrated his fifth birthday with his mother Mrs. Carrie Layne and brother, Tommy at lunch at a Gulf Coast restaurant and a day of Christmas shopping.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends who were so comforting to me at the time of the death of my husband. Special thanks for all the floral offerings, cards, food and the many other kindnesses shown. Many thanks to Rev. Emory Green and Rev. Price and those who rendered the special music. MRS. ED. HARRIEL

TO ENTERTAIN AT CHILDREN'S CENTER

Pupils at the Children's Center, Carroll Avenue, will be entertained at a Christmas party at 7 p. m. Friday, December 18, at the Center.

A program will be presented by the group and House Club will be on hand with gifts. Sub-School Pack 250, Dens 1 and 2 will also give gifts to the children.

UNDERGOING TESTS

Eric Neacise, a member of the city police force, was admitted to Hancock General Hospital Monday night for observation and tests.

ATTEND MEETINGS

County Agent O. O. Swords, assistant agent John Smith and Mrs. Marcia Hughes, Home Demonstration Agent, attended the County Agents' and Home Association meetings in Jackson Monday.

TRASH FIRE

The Fire Department reported a call received at 10:05 Monday night for a fire at the J. D. McCulloch home on Carroll Avenue was found to be smoke from a trash fire.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN MEET

Women of the morning circle of the First Presbyterian Church met December 2 at the home of Mrs. Muriel Fisher with the president and eight members present.

Mrs. Fisher presented a bible study. Coffee and cake were served following the business session.

ANNUAL

The annual meeting of the Hancock County Society of the First Presbyterian Church was held at the home of Mrs. Muriel Fisher with the president and eight members present.

WE WILL BE CLOSED

December 25th through January 1st

REOPEN JANUARY 2, 7 A. M.

THANK YOU

Merry Christmas

Bobby Anne Baker

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U. S. Grade "A" Baby Beef

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Choice Center Cut

Pork Chops LB. 59c

Lean Fresh

Hamburger 3 LBS. \$1

Contadina

Tomato Paste 4 Cans 49c

Young Tender

Carrots lb. 10c

Louisiana Sweet

Satsumas LB. 20c

Large Creamy

Avocados 1 lb. 10c

Crispy Juicy

Apples 3 lb. 20c

Florida Sweet

Oranges 5 lb. 40c

Trellis Yellow

Cream Corn 2 303 Cans 29c

Dole

Pineapple Juice 3 46 oz. Bots. \$1

Autocrat

Fruit Cocktail No. 2 1/2 Can 39c

NBC

Crackers LB. 29c

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Mayonnaise qt. 49c

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Fruit PIES 3-\$1

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ASA NEWS

VENTO, CALIF. - A test of the Saturn space rocket was successfully held at the Douglas Aircraft Co. in the National Aeronautics Administration's Marshall Space Flight Center.

300,000 pound thrust J-2 engine liquid oxygen and hydrogen, ran for a scheduled 15 seconds.

Ship stage is a non-vehicle built especially for static testing to prove reliability and components and

stage tank structure of heavy stainless steel in the light weight aluminum in flight stages. It weighs 120,000 pounds empty. Its engine and all components and systems are in flight configuration.

Stage is 22 feet in diameter and nearly 60 feet tall. It was run at NASA Test

Beta at the Douglas Test which is being put into full use for the first time in this test. Beta joins the

major research and development facilities being built at NASA for the Apollo program and future space exploration.

Douglas-built S-IVB stage is the second stage of Saturn IB vehicle to be used in Apollo flights in earth orbit and is the third stage of the Saturn V, which is to carry the

three astronauts to the moon today was the first of its kind for this duration, the engine itself has been tested hundreds of times over the

past two years. Most of the various engine subsystems were operating under the stress of an actual firing.

About 400 measurements of the vehicle's performance were recorded during the firing.

Following this, longer tests of 20, 30, and 150 seconds will be undertaken, leading up to full duration firings of some 480 seconds.

The Beta complex consists of two test stands, 150 feet tall and some 1,100 feet apart. Each can hold down rockets with more than a million pounds of thrust. Both are controlled from a central blockhouse. The \$21 million complex with storage tanks for propellants and associated facilities occupies 325 acres. It is surrounded by a 1,125 acre buffer zone.

HUNTSVILLE, ALA. - A Saturn S-IVB stage will be brought to the NASA-Marshall Space Flight Center here soon for testing. The stage was turned over to NASA by its builder, Douglas Aircraft Co.

Dr. Robert C. Seamans Jr., NASA associate administrator, accepted the stage in a ceremony at the Douglas Missile and Space Systems Division plant at Huntington Beach, California. It was the first stage delivered to NASA.

This S-IVB is a ground-test stage which will undergo extensive vibration, bending, and torsional testing at the MSFC dynamic test facility. Called a dynamic test vehicle, the stage is the exact structural replica of a flight stage, but has a dummy engine and mock-ups of other components.

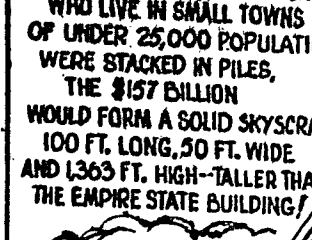
The dummy hardware exactly duplicates the weight, mass, center of gravity, and stiffness of actual flight components.

The S-IVB, 60 feet long and 22 feet in diameter, is a hydrogen-fueled upper stage for both the Saturn IB and the Saturn V. It will be the Saturn IB's second stage and third stage on the Saturn V moon rocket.

The S-IVB is scheduled to leave the West Coast on December 8 on a journey to the Marshall Center which will include a land, sea

Town Topics

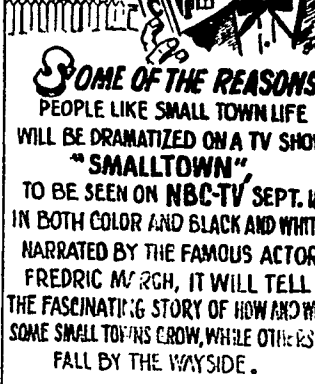
IF ALL THE DOLLAR BILLS
EARNED IN ONE YEAR BY AMERICANS
WHO LIVE IN SMALL TOWNS
OF UNDER 25,000 POPULATION
WERE STACKED IN PILES,
THE \$157 BILLION
WOULD FORM A SOLID SKYSCRAPER
100 FT. LONG, 50 FT. WIDE
AND 1,363 FT. HIGH—TALLER THAN
THE EMPIRE STATE BUILDING!



LOTS OF PEOPLE LIVE
IN SMALL TOWNS FOR REASONS
BIG CITY FOLK MIGHT NOT UNDERSTAND.
FOR EXAMPLE, THEY LIKE SEEING
FEW STRANGERS, MANY FRIENDS,
WHEN THEY WALK DOWN THE STREET.



SOME OF THE REASONS
PEOPLE LIKE SMALL TOWN LIFE
WILL BE DRAMATIZED ON A TV SHOW,
"SMALLTOWN"
TO BE SEEN ON NBC-TV SEPT. 15
IN BOTH COLOR AND BLACK AND WHITE.
NARRATED BY THE FAMOUS ACTOR,
FREDRIC M. W. COH, IT WILL TELL
THE FASCINATING STORY OF HOW AND WHY
SOME SMALL TOWNS CROWD, WHILE OTHERS
FALL BY THE WAYSIDE.



PUBLIC LIVESTOCK SCALES TESTED IN MISSISSIPPI

JACKSON, MISS. - Public livestock scales in Mississippi are tested twice each year as part of a federal-state program to assure accurate weighing facilities to buyers and sellers of livestock.

At the Marshall Center, the Douglas-built stage will be mated with a Saturn IB first stage built by the Chrysler Corp. and an Apollo spacecraft, for tests designed to assure that the complete Saturn-Apollo vehicle will withstand the vibrations and other stresses that must be expected in flight. During testing, the stage's hydrogen tank will be filled with light-weight plastic balls and its oxygen tank with water to simulate the weight of actual propellants.

The 200-foot-tall dynamic test stand was originally built for the Saturn I rocket and has been modified slightly to test the second generation Saturn rocket.

Marshall Center will be represented at the S-IVB turn-over ceremony by Col. E. F. O'Connor, director of Industrial Operations, Stan Reinartz, deputy director of the Saturn I/VB Project Office, and Roy Godfrey, chief of the Saturn V/S-IVB stage office.

Eighty livestock scales have been tested in Mississippi since July 1, 1964, according to M. L. Marshall, area supervisor of the Agricultural Marketing Service's Packers Stockyards Division at Memphis.

Marshall said nearly 54 percent, or 43 of the scales, met the accuracy standards required by federal and state law. Thirty-seven scales were found to be in excess of the maximum allowable tolerance and were condemned until repaired.

Thirty-four of the condemned scales have been replaced or repaired by their owners and the others are being repaired by reputable scale firms, according to Marshall. He pointed out that the repaired scales are retested to determine that they meet the tolerance requirements.

Commissioner Corley said the testing of livestock scales in the state is under the supervision of Paul Gaither, deputy director of the Weights and Measures Division of the Mississippi Department of Agriculture. He said trained scale testing personnel from the state office, working in cooperation with the Memphis office of the Packers and Stockyards Division, conducted the tests.

According to Gaither, a large capacity scale testing unit, owned by the state of Mississippi, was used to make the tests.

Testing of public livestock scales to assure accuracy of weights is outlined under both the state and federal laws, the Mississippi Weights and Measures Law enacted in 1964 and the Packers and Stockyards Act, a federal law regulating interstate livestock marketing and requiring that livestock scales used in such interstate mar-

Personals

Capt. and Mrs. Harold M. Powell and daughter Lisa Marie or Leonhard Avenue have returned home after visiting friends and relatives in New Jersey during the month of November.

Mrs. Gilbert Schmidt of Metairie, La., spent Sunday with her father Ed. Ladner at his home in Ansey.

R. G. Hubbard Jr., who is a patient in Touros Infirmary, New Orleans, is reported doing nicely and is expected home this week.

Mrs. Albert Kuehn Sr. had as weekend guests Mrs. Kuehn Jr. and sons Tommy and John, her nephew Charles Mischler and Gerald DeRose, all of New Orleans.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Mary Moran were her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Moran and Mrs. Louise Gibson of New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Bordelon Sr., of New Orleans, spent the weekend with Mrs. Charles Flink at her home on Washington St.

Mrs. E. M. Buckley will leave Sunday for Alexandria, La., for a visit with her son-in-law and daughter Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Powell and children. They will be joined for the Christmas holidays by Mr. Buckley.

Mrs. Lucille P. Weeks and Miss Frances Noeges have returned from a visit in Amarillo, Texas, where they were guests of Mrs. Weeks' son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Keefe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Romanoff and son Mike were in Jackson Sunday and Monday.

Miss Sally Hubbard who is attending Rochester, Minn., Junior College will arrive home Dec. 19, to spend the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hubbard Jr.

Mrs. Frank Wheat and sisters Mrs. Joe Brown and Miss Anne Breazeale and Miss Marie Kesse of Gulfport spent Saturday in New Orleans.

Mrs. Ethel Garcia is back home after a visit with her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. James Domingue and children in Lafayette, La.

Testing be tested twice yearly. The Weights and Measures Law, passed by the 1964 Mississippi legislature, provides for tests, according to Gaither. He said the new law has for its objective the safeguarding of the entire public in all matters involving quantity determination. It provides for maintenance of an honest balance between buyer and seller, so that the buyer gets what he pays for and the seller gets paid for the quantity he delivers.

Gaither said requirements of the Mississippi Weights and Measures Law are such that a scale approved by the state will meet the requirements of the Packers and Stockyards Act.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 27th day of November, 1964, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Rebecca Roberts, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Estate to present same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law, within six months from this date or they will be forever barred.

MRS. WILLIE MAE TERRELL
Executrix
of the Estate of Rebecca Roberts, deceased.
12/3/4times

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
Whereas, on the 18th day of October, 1963, Robert A. Epperson and Kathleen D. Epperson, husband and wife, executed a deed of trust to Gerald C. Gex, Trustee, to secure an indebtedness therein mentioned to Merchants Bank and Trust Company which deed of trust is recorded in Vol. 98, page 534, Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land in Hancock County, Mississippi, and

Whereas, the said indebtedness so secured is past due and unpaid, and

Whereas, Merchants Bank and Trust Company, the holder of said indebtedness having requested me, the undersigned Trustee to foreclose said deed of trust,

Now Therefore, I will on Monday, December 21st, 1964, between legal hours offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the front County Court House Door of Hancock County, Mississippi, the land situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, and described in said Deed of Trust, as follows, to-wit:

Lot 17, of Block 4, and Lot 15, of Block 5, Brentwood Subdivision, of Hancock County, as per map or plat thereof recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

I will convey only such right, title and interest as is vested in me as Trustee.

Witness my signature this the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1964.

GERALD C. GEX
Trustee

11/23/4times

LIST TOTAL WELFARE ASSISTANCE FOR NOVEMBER

Mississippi's old age assistance caseload totaled 73,466 persons for November. Information released by Miss Evelyn Gandy, Commissioner of Public Welfare, showed decreases in recipients and amount of funds paid to the needy aged, blind and dependent children. A small increase was noted for aid to the permanently and totally disabled.

Total payments for November amounted to \$4,493,350, a decrease of \$6,563 from October. An average monthly grant of \$37.20 was made to 73,466 aged people; 2,714 blind people received average monthly grants of \$43.62; there were 65,967 dependent children who received an average of \$12.88; and 18,335 permanently and totally disabled received \$43.37 as average grants.

Private hospitals provided hospital care for 1,122 old age assistance recipients and 19 aid to the blind recipients. Cost of Hospital Care totaled \$146,554.99 of which \$144,345.99 was for old age assistance recipients and \$2,209.00 for aid to the blind recipients. Each recipient is eligible for a maximum of 20 hospital days each year.

There were 749 children in foster boarding homes at a cost of \$29,824.69 paid from federal, state, and local funds. Most of these children are dependent or neglected.

The Commodity Program through the cooperation of 58 County Boards of Supervisors with the Welfare Department distributed surplus food with an estimated value of \$15,48,000.00 to 180,033 needy persons. Counties have the option as to whether or not they will participate in the Commodity Program.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
HANCOCK COUNTY
NO. 9842

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
of Mrs. Rosa Parillo Betz, deceased. Letters of administration having been granted on the 23rd day of November, 1964, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Mrs. Rosa Parillo Betz, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within six months from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This 23 day of November, A. D. 1964.

MRS. ALMA BETZ QUINCY
Administratrix

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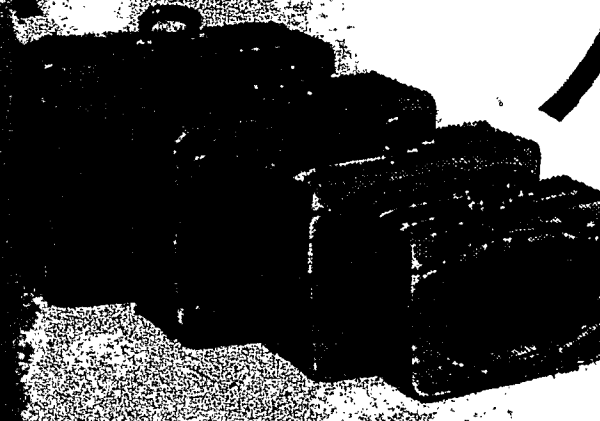
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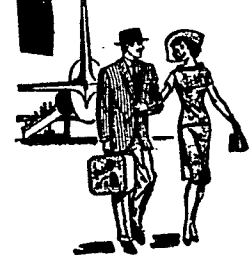


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IRS GIVES IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Calendar year corporations must pay the fourth installment of the 1964 estimated tax by December 15, 1964, according to District Director J. C. Martin, Jr., Internal Revenue Service office in Jackson, Mississippi.

Mr. Martin said the amount of the installment due by the December 15th deadline is at least 25 percent of the 1964-estimated tax.

More detailed information on this subject is available upon request from the Internal Revenue Service.

CHANCERY SUMMONS NO. 9447

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

To Anton A. Zorlick, 418 Central Ave., New Orleans 21, La. and any and all other persons having or claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described land, to-wit:

The W. one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the Northwest one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the Northeast one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the West one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the Southwest one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the Northeast one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the South one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the East one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the Southeast one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the Northeast one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) Section 15, Township 9 S, Range 15 W, Hancock County, Mississippi, totaling approximately 50 acres.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said state on the third Monday of February, A. D. 1965 to defend the suit No. 9447 in said Court of Edward D. Jones, Jr.

The same being a suit for an injunction to said land above described wherein you are a defendant.

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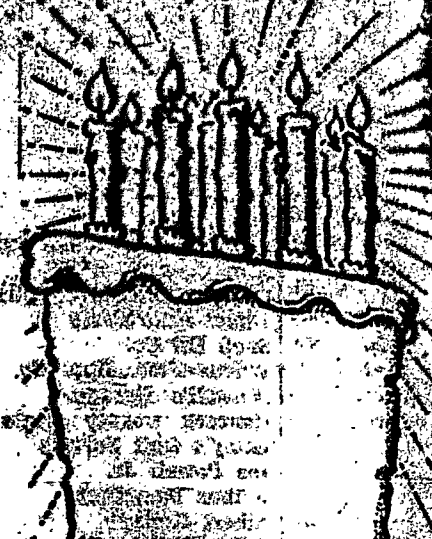
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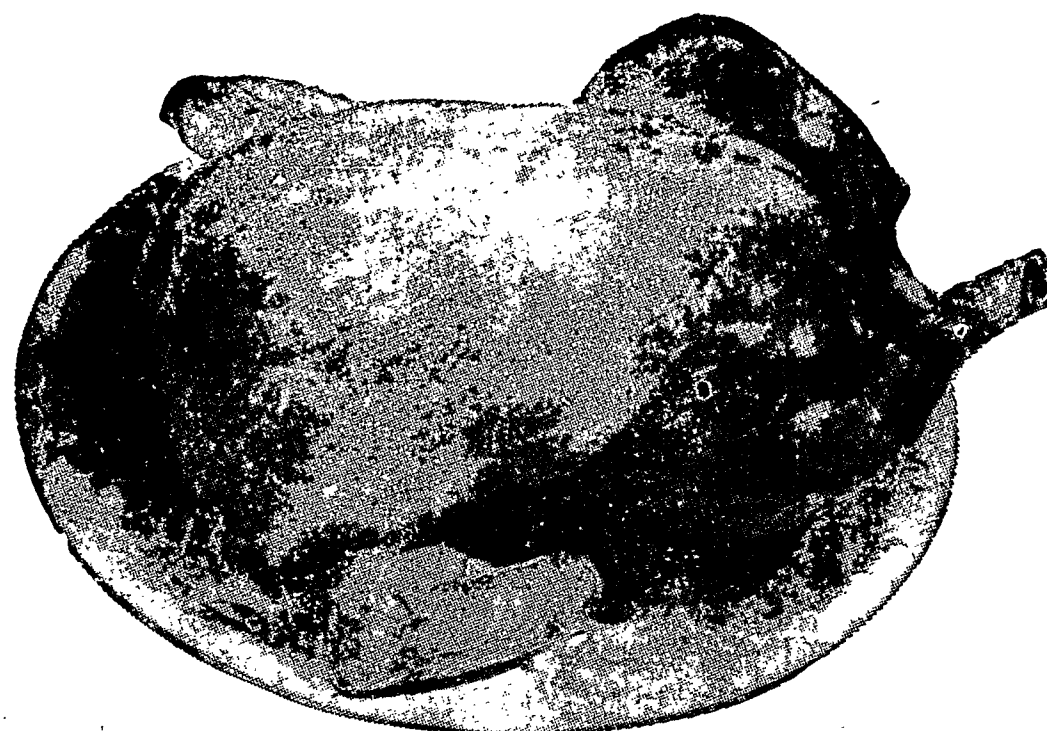
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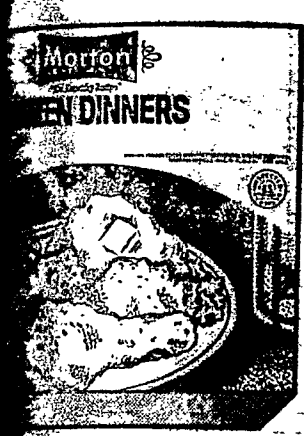
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STUDY PREVENTION METHODS FOR MENTALLY RETARDED

The extent to which mental retardation can be prevented is under study in Mississippi today by a special task group activated by the inter-agency Mississippi Mental Retardation Planning Council.

The group will study pre-natal care, post-natal care, the premature birth problem, and the various maternal and child health services now in existence in the state.

All these subjects have one thing in common, in that they are all areas in which known measures can be taken to prevent retardation.

Dr. Margaret Batson, Department of Pediatrics, University of Mississippi Medical Center, Jackson, has been designated chairman of the special study group, one of six established by the Planning Council.

The other groups are studying residential and community services, education and training, public information and the law, manpower needs, and biometrics and research, all as related to mental retardation needs.

Travis McCharen, director of the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, State Department of Education, is chairman of the Planning Council. The council is an inter-agency group including members from all state agencies, volunteer associations and other organizations with an interest in mental retardation.

Emphasis is being put upon the study of prematurity, said Dr.

Batson, because authorities agree that a premature baby is more likely to be mentally retarded, and because both the premature birth rate and the infant mortality rate are high in Mississippi.

"Women who do not have pre-natal care," said Dr. Batson, "are approximately three times as likely to give birth to premature babies as are women who receive adequate pre-natal care. And very small premature babies are about ten times more likely to be mentally retarded than are children of normal births. In the United States in 1969, the infant mortality rate averaged 26 per 1,000 live births."

She said her group also is interested in planning for direct clinical services to the mentally retarded and to their families. Complete diagnostic and evaluation services are not available to most Mississippi families at this time, said Dr. Batson. "This means," she said, "that many mentally retarded children are not diagnosed early, as a result, comprehensive plans for care, training or management are delayed, and much available time in helping this child to reach his maximum potential is lost." The task group will also be concerned with the need for family counseling.

The group's study will include a look at the multi-discipline approach being used in other states in evaluation centers for the retarded. These centers utilize the services of a psychiatrist, psychologist, social worker, pediatrician, education specialist, speech therapist, audiologist, nurse and, as needed, a neurologist, ear-nose-throat specialist, ophthalmologist, orthopedist and oral surgeon.

NEW TELEPHONE LONG DISTANCE ROUTE IN SERVICE

A new Jacksonville, Florida, to Texas long distance telephone route which passes through South Mississippi was placed in service Nov. 23. C. J. Dabney, Southern Bell Manager, here said.

The route, which goes through parts of Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Texas, is a project of Long Distance Department of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and the work was performed by that company.

"Initially, this route will provide 1200 additional long distance telephone circuits and one television channel through which the Bell System, including Southern Bell, will serve the growing communications needs in Mississippi and the South," Dabney said. Approximately \$2,300,000 was spent in Mississippi on all phases of the project by the A. T. & T. Long Line Department.

Five microwave towers were built in Mississippi as a part of the route. The new towers are equipped with the latest type Cornucopia antennas at the top which "direct" the signals to the next tower. Adjacent to the tower is a small one-story building housing equipment which amplifies the signals before they are sent on to the next tower.

The project is a part of the coordinated activities of Southern Bell, the Long Lines Department and Western Electric Company, the manufacturing unit of the Bell System which manufactured most of the equipment used in the new route. Long Lines is the Bell System unit responsible for the interstate communications facilities.

WOODMEN CIRCLE HAS XMAS PARTY

Supreme Forest Woodmen Circle 137 held its annual dinner and Christmas party Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leontine Ziegler with 22 members attending.

An arrangement of bronze mums centered the table.

A gift from the circle was presented by Mrs. Douglas Bourgeois to the president, Mrs. Ziegler.

Following the dinner, games were played and gifts exchanged.

EXECUTIVES VISIT NUCLEAR PLANT

NEW ORLEANS, La. - Eighteen of the nation's business leaders, accompanied by top officials of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, visited NASA's Michoud Operations here December 3, for briefings on the U. S. manned lunar landing program and a tour of the Saturn 500,000 production plant.

The executives, on a Life Magazine-sponsored tour of space facilities across the country, were briefed by Dr. Werner von Braun, director of NASA's Marshall Space Flight Center, Huntsville, Ala., and Michoud Manager Dr. G. N. Constan.

Company heads attending the four-hour briefing and tour were: William Blackie, president, Caterpillar Tractor Co.; William S. Blakeslee, vice president, Chrysler Corp.; John Bowles, president, Rexall Drug Co.; Edgar M. Bronfman, president, Joseph E. Seagram & Sons, Inc.; Gilbert W. Fitzhugh, president, Metropolitan Life Ins. Co.; Theodore R. Gamble, president, Pet Milk Co.; John D. Harper, president, Aluminum Co. of America; M. E. Harrington, president, Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.; Michael W. McCarthy, chairman of the board, Maxwell Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith; Daniel Parker, president, The Parker Pen Co.; Peter G. Peterson, president, Bell & Howell Co.; R. E. Rowland, chairman of the board, Ralston Purina Co.; Dr. Edgar F. Shannon, Jr., president, University of Virginia; Robert E. Smith, vice president, The Chemstrand Co.; Alfred J. Stokely, president, Stokely-Van Camp, Inc.; John H. Thomas, vice president, Owens-Corning Fiberglass Corp.; Robert Townsend, chairman of the board, Avis, Inc.; and Henry W. Taft, treasurer, Bristol Myers, Inc.

NASA officials included James E. Webb, administrator; Astronaut Richard F. Gordon, Jr., and Breene M. Kerr, assistant administrator for Technology Utilization.

Also included was Maj. Gen. Osmond J. Ritland, deputy commander for Space Headquarters, Air Force Systems Command. Heading the list of Life hosts on the tour were: David Brumbaugh, executive vice president and treasurer, Time Inc.; Jerome S. Hardv, publisher, Life Magazine; vice president, Time Inc.; Andrew Heiskell, chairman of the board,

and John W. Warner, A. Lincoln, president, Time Inc.

The Life Magazine Space Tour, conducted by several companies with the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, (Nov. 30) with a tour of NASA's Rocket Engine Test Site, Edwards, Calif., where the visitors witnessed a static firing of the 1.5 million pound thrust F-1 engine. Five F-1's will be used to boost the Saturn V rocket on manned lunar landing flights.

Tuesday the group visited Douglas Aircraft Company's Missile and Space Division at Huntington Beach, Calif., and North American Aviation's Space and Information Systems Division at Downey, Calif. Douglas is prime contractor for development of the second stage (S-IV) for the Saturn I vehicle and the second and third stages (S-IVB) for the Saturn IB and Saturn V vehicles, respectively. North American is under contract to build the second stage (S-II) for the Saturn V, as well as the command and service modules for the Apollo spacecraft.

The executives visited the U. S. Air Force School of Aerospace Medicine at Brooks Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas on Wednesday.

MOONSHINE SAID CAUSE OF DEATHS

JACKSON, MISS. - A revenueur says medical autopsies would show a lot of "natural" deaths in Mississippi are really due to the low grade of moonshine booze in the state.

Jarvis L. Brewer, supervisor of the alcohol-tobacco tax division for the state, said laboratory tests on several hundred samples of moonshine found more than 25 percent of it is slow poison.

The illegal liquor, manufactured in crude stills, had more than 1300 salts than the U. S. surgeon general has set as a safe limit, Brewer added.

The lead salts cause a general deterioration of the body and brain cells, Brewer added, and many deaths attributed to natural causes were due to fatal doses of lead salts.

Brewer said a crackdown on moonshining in the state doubled the number of stills seized this year compared to last year.

There were 329 illicit distilleries seized and 87 persons arrested, he added.

The tax loss involved on the liquor would have amounted to about \$300,000, in addition to the health hazard posed, Brewer added.

LADIES' DAY AT PASS ISLES

Monthly business meeting was held last Tuesday with Mrs. Sarah Sharpe presiding. Mrs. John Hohnstreiter was appointed to be the new publicity chairman being vacated by Mrs. Bob Hayes. Mrs. John Griffin and Miss Ann Liver-

more were elected as delegates to the Gulf Coast Women's Golf Association with Mrs. Powell Glass and Mrs. John David as alternates. Prizes for the finger tournament were awarded to Mrs. Powell Glass for low gross and Mrs. Bob Hayes for low net.

There was a dog fight team play tournament for 9 holes. The winning team was Miss Ann Livermore, Mrs. John Hohnstreiter and Mrs. Jackie Buffkin.

WITH OUR MEN IN SERVICE

USS FREMONT (APA 44) (FHTNC) Nov. 19 - Seaman Apprentice Randy M. Perkins, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Perkins of Kiln, Miss., is serving aboard the attack transport USS Fremont, operating in the Caribbean area on a good will tour.

Members of the crew recently had the opportunity to visit the port of St. Croix in the Virgin Islands.

The Fremont is loaded with combat ready troops during sea assaults and has the mission of transporting them to and from the assault area.

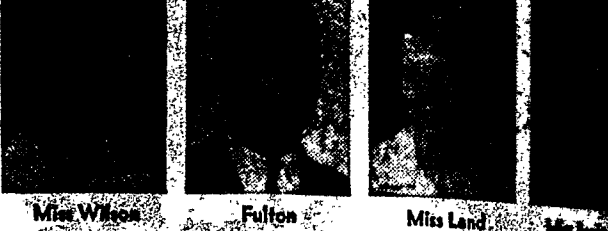
MISS BOUTWELL, DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. JAMES H. BOUTWELL OF NEWTON, HAS GIVEN 272 LOCAL AND COUNTY AND THREE STATE HEALTH DEMONSTRATIONS AS A RESULT OF HER HEALTH PROJECT SHE ASSISTED THE LABORATORY TECHNICIAN AND THE DISTRICT AT NEWTON HOSPITAL. SHE PLANS A CAREER IN NURSING.

Miss Boutwell, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Boutwell of Newton, has given 272 local and county and three state health demonstrations as a result of her health project she assisted the laboratory technician and the district at Newton Hospital. She plans a career in nursing.

Miss Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wilson of Bailey, is in her eighth year of 4-H work. Through surveys, demonstrations, radio and television appearances, and newspaper articles she has led others to an awareness of the safety hazards in their surroundings. Her latest safety project was to have reflectors installed on all slow-moving traffic.

Miss Wilson is president of her county safety club and has held numerous other county and local offices. She has been a junior leader for five years.

WINNERS OF STATE 4-H AWARDS



From breakfasts and meetings to luncheons and tours; then dinners and parties, a concert, a horse show. All these activities at the National 4-H Club Congress kept delegates from Mississippi very busy during the five-day session held in Chicago the week after Thanksgiving.

The following were among those named by the Cooperative Extension Service as 1964 award winners and given trips to the congress: Nancy Jo Boutwell, 17; Martha Ann Wilson, 17; Shirley Land, 17; and David Fulton, 18.

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Miss Land has assisted in leadership of her club for a year. Last year she was local president and state president.

Fulton, a freshman at Mississippi State University, is preparing for a career in mechanical engineering. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fulton of Louisville and was awarded for electrical work in Chicago trip was sponsored by the Westinghouse Foundation.

He has carried on a project since joining 4-H in 1953. The past four years he has been responsible for installing all the electrical wiring in his home in addition to before leaving for college taught his brother how to work over this task.

Fulton has given demonstrations on electric cord repair 20 home demonstration throughout Winston County. For four years a junior leader he is currently president of county 4-H electric club and the county 4-H Junior Council.

Miss Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wilson of Bailey, is in her eighth year of 4-H work. Through surveys, demonstrations, radio and television appearances, and newspaper articles she has led others to an awareness of the safety hazards in their surroundings. Her latest safety project was to have reflectors installed on all slow-moving traffic.

LOAN FOR STATE IS CONSIDERED

JACKSON, MISS. - The Mississippi Bond Commission meets this week to consider borrowing \$4 million to meet current state obligations.

Gov. Paul B. Johnson and other members, Atty. Gen. Joe Patterson and Treasurer William Winter were asked by auditor Hamp King to make the loan. He reported insufficient cash on hand to pay outstanding warrants.

King said he was deferring payment of the monthly disbursement of \$3.7 million to public schools pending execution of the loan. The balance in the treasury was \$3,013,717 after settlement had been made by the State Tax Commission.


Just before the Thanksgiving holiday period the treasury balance was down to \$1,655,283.

Gov. Johnson has borrowed \$12 million since taking office this year to secure a working balance in the treasury. The legislature authorized the governor to borrow up to \$15 million to keep the

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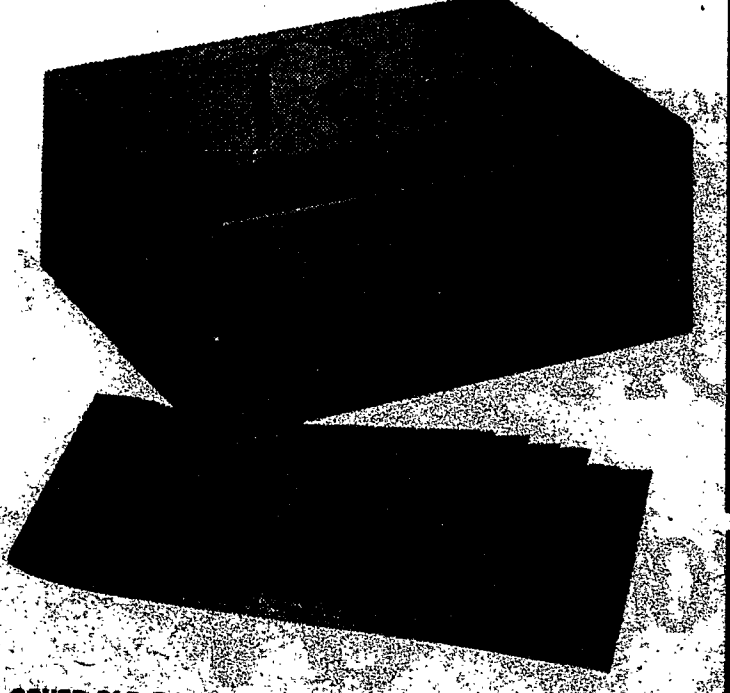
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